IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1, 3 thru 8, 11, 15, 16, 19 and 21 as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A computer system, comprising:

a central processing unit driving an operating system;

a television receiver part for receiving external television program signals;

a storage unit for storing the television program signals in digital form;

a reserve-recording set-up part for setting up reserve-recording conditions for the television program signals, the reserve-recording conditions including a time to start recording;

a record-controlling part for storing the television program signals in said storage unit according to the set-up reserve-recording conditions; and

a power control part for controlling power supplied in a normal mode and in a power saving mode, and for automatically switching from the power saving mode to the normal mode according to the set-up reserve-recording conditions when the time for reserve-recording approaches, power being automatically supplied to said central processing unit when switched to the normal mode, and power not being supplied to said central processing unit when switched to the power saving mode.

2. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, said reserve-recording set-up part comprising a password skipping unit not requiring a user to enter a password when the power

saving mode is changed to the normal mode and the password was previously supplied to the computer system.

3. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, said power control part changing ~~the power mode of~~ said central processing unit from the normal mode to the power saving mode after the reserve-recording conditions are set up through said reserve-recording set-up part.

4. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, said reserve-recording set-up part comprising a mode selection window display operable by a user for selecting [[the]] a power mode of said central processing unit after the reserve-recording conditions are set up, said power control part automatically switching the power mode of said central processing unit according to user selection of the power mode with said mode selection window display.

5. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, said power control part automatically switching ~~the power mode of~~ said central processing unit from the normal mode to the power saving mode after the television program signals are stored in said storage unit.

6. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, said record-controlling part comprising a mode selection window display operable by a user for selecting [[the]] a power mode of said central processing unit after the setting up of the reserve-recording conditions is performed.

7. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, said power control part automatically switching ~~the power mode of~~ said central processing unit from the power saving mode to the normal mode when the power is supplied to the computer system by a user at a time when the computer system is in the power saving mode.

8. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, said reserve-recording part comprising an identification window display for identifying the reserve-recording conditions when ~~the power saving mode~~ said central processing unit is changed to the normal mode.

9. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 8, said identification window display performing at least one of cancellation, modification, and approval of the set-up reserve-recording conditions.

10. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, said storage unit comprising one of a hard disk drive, a recordable compact disk drive, and a recordable digital versatile disk drive.

11. (Currently Amended) A method for storing television program signals in a computer, said method comprising:

setting up recording conditions to record the television program signals in a storage

unit of a computer system having a central processing unit;

automatically switching a power mode of the central processing unit from a power saving mode to a normal mode in dependence upon the recording conditions, power being automatically supplied to the central processing unit when switched to the normal mode, and power not being supplied to the central processing unit when switched to the power saving mode; and

storing the television program signals in the storage unit according to the recording conditions.

12. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 11, said switching step further comprising:

detecting when a password has been previously provided to the computer system; and

when the password has been previously provided to the computer system, not requiring the password to be entered.

13. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 11, said setting up step further comprising automatically switching the power mode of the central processing unit from the normal mode to the power saving mode after said setting up of the recording conditions.

14. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 11, further comprising displaying a mode selection window display operable by a user for selecting the power mode of the

central processing unit after said setting up of the recording conditions.

15. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 11, further comprising automatically switching the power mode of the central processing unit from the normal mode to the power saving mode after said storing of the television program signals.

16. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 11, further comprising displaying a mode selection window display operable by a user for selecting the power mode of the central processing unit after said storing of the television program signals is performed.

17. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 11, further comprising automatically switching the power mode of the central processing unit from the power saving mode to the normal mode when the power is supplied to the computer system by a user at a time when the computer system is in the power saving mode.

18. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 11, further comprising displaying an identification window display for identifying the recording conditions when said switching from the power saving mode to the normal mode is performed.

19. (Currently Amended) A method for storing television program signals in a computer system, said method comprising the steps of:

setting up recording conditions to record the television program signals in a computer system having a central processing unit, the recording conditions including a time to start recording, power being supplied to the central processing unit in a normal mode, and power not being supplied to the central processing unit in a power save mode;

identifying when a power mode of the central processing unit comprises the power saving mode and when the time to start recording approaches;

automatically converting from the power saving mode to the normal mode when the power mode of the central processing unit is the power saving mode and when the time to start recording arrives; and

recording the television program signals in a storage unit of the computer system.

20. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 19, further comprising automatically switching the power mode of the central processing unit from the normal mode to the power saving mode after said setting up of the recording conditions.

21. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 19, further comprising automatically switching the power mode of the central processing unit from the normal mode to the power saving mode after said recording of the television program signals.

22. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 19, further comprising automatically switching the power mode of the central processing unit from the power saving mode to the

normal mode when the power is supplied to the computer system by a user at a time when the computer system is in the power saving mode.

23. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 19, further comprising not requiring a user to enter a password when the power saving mode is changed to the normal mode and the password was previously supplied to the computer system.

24. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 19, further comprising the steps of providing a mode selection window display operable by a user for selecting the power mode of said central processing unit after the reserve-recording conditions are set up, and automatically switching the power mode of said central processing unit according to user selection of the power mode.